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25X1	Thursday - 13 March 1975 CONFIDENTIAL
25X1	Mr. Graves, Press Assistant to Senator Walter Huddleston, called to say he had received a call from Steve Freedman, WCPO-TV in Cincinnati. Freedman had been contacted by someone who claimed to have been trained by CIA in Panama and who has quite a story to tell about his participation with CIA. Freedman will not identify the man to Graves but Freedman is looking for guidance as to how much credence this man's story has. Graves asked if someone could call Freedman directly (513-721-9900). Graves would like us to let him know when we have called Freedman. I passed the above to Mr. Thuermer who said he would call Freedman.
25%TATOTHR	Received a call from Hector Alcade, who worked for 12 years for Representative Sam Gibbons and who now has his own consulting firm. He has two clients————————————————————————————————————
25X1	Dick Ober, NSC staff, called to ask about the Ryan amendment to the Foreign Assistance Act. I filled him in on what the amendment was all about and what we have done to comply with that amendment and the Bolling/Hansen report.
25X1	Called Chairman Lucien Nedzi, Intelligence Subcommittee, House Armed Services Committee, and told him the Director and I had been talking about the Judiciary Committee getting witnesses from the Post Office Department on the mail intercept program. See Memo for Record
25X1 25X1A STATOTHR	Received a call from General  Counsel, NSA, who said they were working on their response to FOI inquiries
25X1A	from on the subject of an open budget for the intelligence community and wondered if I had a citation to the debate on the floor of the Senate on the Proximire amendment which would have required an open budget
25X1A	for the intelligence agencies. I told that I did indeed have the citation and
25X1 } [	gave it to him. CONFIDENTIAL

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25X1 25X1A	Les Aspin (D., Wis.), dropped in and caught the tail end of NIO/SEA, session with Representative Paul McCloskey (R., review of the McCloskey report before finalization which had by McCloskey's office earlier in the day. Mr. McCloskey w compliment the CIA and the intelligence community for their and urge the policy advocates in the Executive Branch and the to preserve the integrity of intelligence. In this connection, repeated once again several concerns he had expressed prev pressure to influence the outcome of intelligence estimates, with his earlier request for our General Counsel's opinion or liaison with military commanders under the Paris Peace Accomo such opinion existed but that it was our position that such	Calif.) for I been requested ants to performance e Congress Mr. McCloskey iously, including In connection our intelligence cords, I advised
25X1	not inconsistent with and outside of the scope of the Accords. suggested we outline the essentials of our position in a letter would intend to follow up on by a call to our General Counsel.  25. Left for Charles W. Snodgrass, House Appropriations Committee, a paper on the Congression Submission for EV 7/	which he
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25X1A	CIA retiree, called to advise that he had been contacted by B: Counsel, Subcommittee on Courts, Civil Liberties, and the A of Justice, House Indiciary Committee, who wanted to interv connection with his knowledge of CIA's mail intercept program explained his past relationship and differences of opinion with	iew him in
25X1A 25X1A	had told Lehman that he would have to check on the bona fides before talking to him. I reminded of his oath obligation and his need to be released therefrom for the such an interview and told him that we too are in touch with I	latter's secrecy purpose of
25X1A Z5X1	is quite possible that the type of information Lehman is interest made available through means other than individuals such as I obtained office and home phone numbers and advisored by back in touch. (See Memo to the Director dated 12 Memo)	himself.
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25X1	Stopped by to see Jack Boos,
	House Armed Services Committee Intelligence Subcommittee staff,
	and he asked if Chairman Lucien N. Nedzi (D., Mich.) could have
	another copy of Mr. Agee's book. I told him I checked recently and
	none were available, but I would check again and get back to him.
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23/1	Picked up from David Batt, Administrative
25X1A	Assistant to Representative Joe D. Waggonner, Jr. (D., La.), the letter
20/(1/(	of 25 February 1975 from to to
	Chairman of the Claims Review Board, along with a copy of her letter to the congressman. The letters were sent to the Claims Review Board
	to the congressman. The letters were sent to the Claims Review Board and the Office of General Counsel for comment.
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		Monday - 10 March 1975
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25X1	L	of a suggested reply for a constituent of Senator Edmund S. Muskie (D., Me.), I received a call today from Jim Davidson on the Senator's staff, who requested background information regarding intelligence requirements for MIA information. I informed him that standard requirements had been in effect for some years to obtain information on MIA's throughout the Southeast Asia area and this extended even as far as Paris, where Pathet Lao and North Vietnamese representatives resided. He was also informed that specific requirements are generated depending upon access to sources who could provide further information on MIA's.
25X1		Bruce Lehman, on the staff of the House Judiciary Subcommittee on Courts, Civil Liberties, and the Administration of Justice, called to advise that a Postal Inspector, William Cotter, is scheduled to testify in open session next Tuesday, 18 March, and that the matter would be the opening of mail. He urged that the Agency provide some input along the lines we discussed last Friday if we felt it would be helpful. (See Memorandum for the Record.)
25X1	25X1A	In response to his earlier call, called Art Kuhl, Chief Clerk, Senate Foreign Relations Committee, and advised him that we had seen
25X1		A. Met with Bill Raiford, Congressional Research Service, Library of Congress, and gave him, in response to his earlier request, an unclassified listing of Directors, Deputy Directors, and USIB representatives to cover the period 1965 to the present. Raiford examined the material and said that it was just what he needed,
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